

ITEM NO.56

COURT NO.8

SECTION XIV

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Civil) No(s).15929-15930/2004

(From the judgement and order dated 23/04/2004 in CR No.918/2003 and judgment and order dt.28.5.2004 in RP No. 210/2004 of The HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT N. DELHI)

SHEILA DEVI & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

NARBADA DEVI

Respondent(s)

(With prayer for interim relief and office report)

Date: 19/09/2005 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.P. SINGH
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.H. KAPADIA

For Petitioner(s)

Mr.S.D.Singh, Adv.
Mr.Vijay Kumar, Adv.
Mr.Anurag Kishor, Adv.
Mr. Vishwajit Singh,Adv.

For Respondent(s)

Mr. Sudhir Nandrajog,Adv.
Mr.Abhishek Agarwal, Adv.
Mr.Sanjay Pathak, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

We have perused the affidavit filed by Mr.S.D.Singh, advocate, and Mr.Vishwajit Singh, advocate-on-record. Mr.S.D.Singh assures us that this will not happen again. He

admits his mistake that he did not appear before this bench when the matter was called out, particularly when he had appeared before another bench on the same day on which he was said to be unwell.

It is rather unfortunate that we are left with the impression that the letters

circulated to the Court at times do not represent the truth. The relationship between the Bar

and the Bench is based on mutual faith and respect and it is absolutely necessary that with

a view to strengthen both, the Bar and the Bench, that mutual faith, trust and respect should

be strengthened. Factually incorrect statements made in letters circulated to the Court

seriously erode that faith and trust. We are pained to find that such incidents happen in this

Court, but we are assured by the members of the Bar present that this will not happen in

future. We record the assurance given to us by the advocates present in Court today.

However, we caution Mr.S.D.Singh, advocate, that in future this should not happen. In view

of the assurance, we do not propose to take any further action.

Let the Special Leave Petitions be placed for admission in due course.

(Satish K. Yadav)

Court Master

(Vijay Dhawan)

Court Master